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**From:** Reed, Charles@Waterboards [Charles.Reed@waterboards.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** 3/5/2015 5:57:25 PM  
**To:** Whitson, Amelia [Whitson.Amelia@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Dougherty, Mona@Waterboards [Mona.Dougherty@waterboards.ca.gov]  
**Subject:** FW: request for alternate sample method  
**Attachments:** removed.txt; Request for alternate sample method.pdf

Hi Amelia,

As described in the attachment, one of Eureka's industrial users is experiencing exceedances of local limits for TPH that the City believes might be caused by testing interference. Consequently, the City is requesting the authorization to use a different method than they are apparently required to use. Can you tell me if the alternative method is automatically acceptable or are there steps that the City must take to get EPA approval of the alternative method.

It seems to me that you would have run across this issue in the Pretreatment Program.

Charles

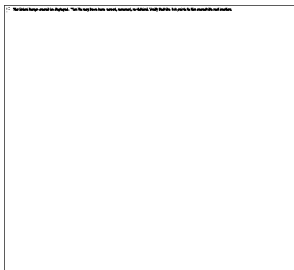
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**From:** Justin Boyes [mailto:jboyes@ci.eureka.ca.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 05, 2015 9:46 AM  
**To:** Reed, Charles@Waterboards  
**Cc:** Dan Duncan  
**Subject:** request for alternate sample method

Good morning Charles.

Per our phone conversation I have attached a letter requesting the use of an alternate sample method. Please contact me if you have any questions.

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